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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : James J. Fallon et al.
Application No. : 09/776,267
Confirm. No. : 9730
Filing Date : February 2, 2001
Title : SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR ACCELERATED LOADING
OF OPERATING SYSTEMS AND APPLICATION
PROGRAMS
Art Unit : 2115
Examiner : Suresh Suryawanshi

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

New York, NY 10020
August 14, 2006

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith to be filed in the above-identified
patent application is a:

Reply to an Office Action.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

A fee for additional claims is not required.

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The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT	RATE	ADD'L FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	39	- 20	* = 19	X \$25 = \$475.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	- 3	** = 1	X \$100 = \$100.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				+ \$180 = \$000.00
* If less than 20, insert 20.				TOTAL
				<u>\$575.00</u>
** If less than 3, insert 3.				

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Respectfully submitted,



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Date of Deposit August 14, 2006

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